

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Mail Stop: ISSUE FEE**  
Kok Seng CHONG et al. : **Confirmation No. 8624**  
Serial No. 10/567,601 : Group Art Unit 2626  
Filed February 8, 2006 : Examiner Daniel D. Abebe  
METHOD FOR DETERMINING TIME : Attorney Docket No. 2006\_0127A  
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**REQUEST FOR INITIALED PTO-1449 FORM**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Regarding the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed on February 8, 2006,

Applicants note that the Examiner has not considered two of the references listed on the Form  
PTO-1449 submitted therewith.

In particular, the Examiner has not considered JP 11-504733 and JP 2003-514267.

Regarding these references, Applicants note that while such references are in a foreign language,  
that on page 3 of the IDS filed on February 8, 2006, it was clearly indicated that "WO 97/31367  
corresponds to JP 11-504733", and that "WO 01/37264 corresponds to JP 2003-514267". In this  
regard, Applicants note that both of WO 97/31367 and WO 01/37264 are in the English  
language.

In view of the foregoing correspondence that was identified in the IDS filed on February 8, 2006 for JP 11-504733 and JP 2003-514267, Applicants kindly request that the Examiner provide Applicants with a new copy of the Form PTO-1449 indicating that JP 11-504733 and JP 2003-514267 have been considered.

If the Examiner has any questions regarding this matter, Applicants kindly request that the Examiner contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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